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FOR: IMV, INA

E.O. 11652: N/A
SUBJECT: HELMAND VALLEY FILM

REF: USIA 20162-U

1. SUGGESTED TREATMENT SENT OFFICIAL AIR 27 JULY.
2. WORKPRINT RECEIVED.
3. NOT CERTAIN WHETHER REFTTEL CROSSED OUR 4996-U BUT APPRECIATE CLARIFICATION ON FUNDING. BELIEVE FOLLOWING SHOOTING SCHEDULE MAKES BEST SENSE IN LIGHT AVAILABLE FUNDS, VALLEY SEASONAL AND PROJECT CONDITIONS CONSIDERED IN EARLIER CORRESPONDENCE.
4. POST GOE AVAILABLE FUND VISIT CONTRACTOR LATE SEPTEMBER-EARLY OCTOBER TO COMPLETE RESEARCH AND SHOOT COTTON HARVEST SEQUENCES, AND OTHER APPROPRIATE SCENES WITH ASSISTANCE AFGHAN FILM. POST CAN ALSO CONTRACT AFGHAN FILM FOR PRELIMINARY RESEARCH PRIOR ARRIVAL CONTRACTOR. OPTIMUM TIMING FALL SHOOTING DEPENDS ON CROP GROWTH FACTOR. NOT FEASIBLE HOLD UP HARVEST.
5. AGENCY FY 78 FUNDS WOULD COVER AMONG OTHER COSTS PRODUCER/CONTRACTOR VISIT APRIL 78 WHEN VALLEY VEGETATION UNCLASSIFIED

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AND WATER CONDITIONS BEST FOR COMPLETING REMAINING SEQUENCES AND AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY OR SUBSTITUTE SHOTS.

6. PRESENT EMBASSY AIRCRAFT CANNOT BE USED FOR AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FOR TECHNICAL REASONS. WE WILL EXPLORE POSSIBILITY CHARTER BAKHTAR PLANE.

7. FOR PURPOSES CUSTOMS CLEARANCE POSTHILL NEED FULL
LIST OF EQUIPMENT TO BE BROUGHT INTO AFGHANISTAN WELL
BEFORE DEPARTURE FROM U.S.

8. IF AGENCY AGREES PROCEED PER SUGGESTION PARA. 4
ABOVE, ADVISE ESTIMATED COST TO POST OF FUNDING
CONTRACTOR VISIT.
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